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North:  
No. 2, Fast Express, daily, 8:45 a. m.  
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No. 5, Accommodation, daily, 10:15 p. m.  
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The Attention of Physicians is called to the notice requiring them to promptly report all births and deaths occurring in their practice. Midwives are also required to report all births they may have attended upon. This Health officer is made by the Board of Health. All reports of above named events should be at once delivered to him, either at his office or through the Post-office. Suitable blank for this purpose may be had at the CHRONICLE OFFICE.

JOHN W. FAXON, Sec'y of Board of Health.

ANY one wishing to buy a moulting bird can find a fine singer for sale, by inquiring at this office.

THE Greenwald class-meeting will be held at the residence of R. H. Pickering, next Thursday night.

REV. J. S. COLLINS, President of the Clarksville Female Academy, will preach at the Methodist church at 10:30 a. m., Sunday.

CHAPLAIN J. D. BARBER, of the C. C. G. P., says he will soon issue an order for the company to turn out to preaching, as he is of the opinion that they are "just a little off" in this part of the tactics.

SEE Frank Rawls' advertisement, which will furnish you anything in his line on short notice; if he has no pig or lamb on hand when ordered he will get one for you, as he knows where they roam.

MR. G. W. HILLMAN has received a few baskets of ripe peaches from his Arlington Orchard. We understand his fruit is fine this year and will soon be able to supply our citizens with all they may want.

DURING the storm last Saturday a shed at Edmondson's ferry was blown down, falling on three or four males which had taken refuge under it, and crippling them but not seriously.

SOME enterprising individual has put up a "flying jenny," or a lot of swinging horses, near the court house and the small boy consumes half a day in doing an errand down town.

THE Comparative New Testament gives the King James' version and the revised version in parallel columns. It is the best edition we have seen. Messrs. Owen & Moore have it.

THE new clock for the Court House has arrived and will soon be put in running order. It is colossal affair of the eight day breed and is said to be a stunner on the strike. It was furnished by Messrs. Ed Howard & Co., of Boston Mass.

DR. G. S. BLACKIE, one of the most distinguished physicians in the state, died at his residence in Nashville on last Sunday.

MR. J. M. CARSEY, a prominent warehouse man of Nashville also died last week.

Jack Everitt shot John Averitt at the Providence bridge, about 1 o'clock yesterday, wounding him mortally. Averitt was drinking and went to Everitt's business house and renewed an old difficulty when Everitt shot him twice, inflicting mortal wounds.

A *husu naturae* in the shape of a calf born without eyes has made its appearance on a farm near Cumberland City, it has no eye-balls whatever nor the sign of any, it is now six or eight weeks old and is frisky and playful as if it had all the eyes of Argus.

MR. JON R. MARTIN the walking-man man has presented the fighting editor of this establishment with a very handsome hickory cane, that would be a weighty argument in a physical discussion, so the disgruntled had better stand from under.

THE Citizens' Building & Loan Association, since the new issue of stock is booming, Mr. Monroe Rogers county register informs us that during June he has recorded about fifteen mortgages, representing as many loans and aggregating some ten thousand dollars, most of which is used for new buildings.

We congratulate our Christian county friends on the nomination of Mr. Austin Peay to represent them. We have known "Buggie" for many years and know him to be a high-toned honorable gentleman and one who will do his whole duty in any position. Now Kentuckians go to work and elect him.

THE Clarksville Female Academy has an advertisement in this issue which parents and guardians will do well to read. The buildings have been thoroughly renovated and furnished with new furniture, and every attention will be paid to the health and comfort of the pupils, the apparatus, instruments and models are of the best, while the faculty is composed of efficient and experienced instructors who will spare no pains in the advancement of the pupils.

Agin the Dog Assassins. Dog-on the man who would destroy the friend of man and playful boy, by means of poison.

He would have been a fit companion for such an one as Tennessee Sherrin, who wanted, not on dogs, but women.

Let him who would his country bless keep honest dogs out of his house. And smile him and thigh the vile assassin. Give the innocent wretch a poor dog's death.

And fight him fair, with gun or lance—But never give him poison. D. L.

## Another New Church.

Our friends of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, have determined to build a new house of worship on the beautiful lot which they purchased for that purpose some time since, on Madison street, adjoining the lot of Mrs. J. P. Williams. We are glad to note this determination, and trust that the community will lend a helping hand. The Methodist congregation at this place deserve and need a new church, and now that an effort is being made to build one let every one who can contribute to the enterprise. The committee appointed for the purpose of obtaining subscriptions are actively at work soliciting aid, and within the next week or ten days the question will be decided whether to go on with the work or abandon it for want of funds. We trust that the members of the church will see to it that the funds necessary to warrant the commencement of the building. We met a member of the committee a day or two since who informed us that he felt discouraged in his efforts. We told him we thought the people would respond liberally, to which he replied: "I thought so, too, but when members of our church refuse to help us with what we can ask ourselves?"

We trust and believe that the members of the church on reflection determine to march up to the work and do their duty. If they never do anything now is the time to do it. The committee, we understand are determined not to incur a heavy debt without the means in sight to meet it. Every one is able to give something. Let those who are not able to give large amounts give small ones; but whatever is given let it be done now, for the point to be settled is whether to advance or retreat, and every dollar given is so much thrown on the side of advancing.

THE recent mysterious disappearance of W. N. Garrett, of Waverly Tenn., created quite a sensation in Humphreys county, as he was known to have a considerable amount of money on his person foul play was suspected, and two men who were in his company the night he disappeared were arrested and put in jail at Waverly; the woods, creeks, ponds, etc., were searched but no trace of him could be found. It is said he has since been seen in Camden and left there on a Western bound train, and that he left to avoid a settlement as trustee, at the approaching Chancery court.

WE desire to call especial attention to the large double column advertisement of McComb, Hurst & Co., to be found in another column. The advertisement is only an index to their business, their stock being one of the largest and most complete to be found in the state. This firm is making a special feature of fine Robertson, Lincoln and Bourbon county whiskeys of the best brands, which they have kept long enough to acquire age in their own hands, and which they will guarantee to be genuine and what is represented; besides they keep a fine assortment of French, Peach and Apple brandies, Port Sherry, Ginger and Lemon Wines, home-made Blackberry cordial and Cherry Bounce. Persons wanting anything of the kind for medicinal or family use can rest assured that they will get just the article they call for, pure as it is made.

THE Courier-Journal publishes a marvelous account of a woman in Jackson county Tenn., who has recently given birth to seven babies at one accouchment, just think of it, seven babies at once and gal babies at that, what a chattering there will be in that household when those girls grow up, and what a lot of red stockings, high-heeled slippers and things that happy (?) father will have to hustle around for.

THE Nashville Banner says: "Hon. Tom W. Neal, editor of the *Dyersburg Gazette*, was married in the city of Nashville last week. Alice M. Hoyt, an accomplished lady of culture and refinement." He is the handsomest man of the Tennessee Press, and his marriage has cast a gloom over the majority of the unmarried female population of that state. —*Kentucky New Era*.

Tou and his lovely bride have our best wishes for their future happiness; and in the meantime we would respectfully remind those disconsolate females, that our friend Riley is still on the market, as well as the editor of this paper, provided the latter is not captured by a Yankee girl while north.

It is with regret that we record the death of Mr. Isaac Davis, which occurred on last Monday, at the residence of his mother in District No. 5. His disease, consumption, caused him much suffering which he bore with great fortitude. He was formerly an employee in this office and endeared himself to all who knew him by his uniform kindness and courtesy. Pythagoras Lodge I. O. O. F., of which he was a member, turned out in full force and buried him with the honors of the order.

AN art exhibition consisting of scenes from the shores of the Mediterranean, palaces, castles, choice statuary and beautiful colored dissolving views, all illuminated by powerful oxy-acetylene light, will be given at Stewart Cabinet hall on Thursday night, June 30th, for the benefit of the Trinity Episcopal Sunday School. An interesting and instructive account will be given by Dr. Wright of the views they are thrown on the canvases. Tickets 40 cents; children 20 cents. For sale at Owen & Moore's book store.

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## Close of the Forty-eighth Volume.

The present number closes our forty-eighth volume, new series, and we take this occasion to return our sincere thanks to our many friends and patrons for their kind indulgence and patronage in the past, and ask a continuance of the same in the future. We shall hereafter, as heretofore, advocate what we believe to be the best interests of our city, county, state and country, what we think to be right we shall commend, what we think wrong we shall condemn, but our columns shall always be open for the free discussion of any subject affecting the public interests.

The Chronicle is one of the oldest, if not the oldest paper in the state. We have in our office a copy of "The Weekly Chronicle" published here January 21, 1818, with the proceedings of the 15th congress, session of 1817, we have also proof of its publication under the same name as far back as 1809, thus establishing its claim as the "oldest inhabitant" in this part of the newspaper world. It has established a reputation of which we are proud and which we shall use to the utmost endeavor to sustain, keeping up with the exigencies of the times, and furnishing our readers with the latest and most reliable news, local and foreign.

University and City Park Association.

According to announcement a number of ladies, representing the different denominations of Christians in the city of Clarksville, met on last Monday evening at the residence of Mr. Wm. Hume. The object of the meeting was heretofore explained in the city papers, was to devise measures for improving and beautifying the University grounds with the view of utilizing them as a city park.

This is certainly a move in the right direction, and one in which every citizen of Clarksville is interested. The ladies are enthusiastic, and with occasional sympathy and systematic, persistent work will accomplish what they have undertaken.

The work on Monday consisted in the adoption of a constitution and by-laws for the Association; the appointing of an advisory board, consisting of the wives of the faculty, with two ladies from each denomination, and the election of officers, with the following result, viz: Mrs. J. N. Waddell, president; Mrs. Wm. W. Turney, vice-president; Mrs. Sue F. Moore, secretary; Mr. Jno. W. Faxon, treasurer. The advisory board is as follows: Mrs. H. H. Lorton and Mrs. Jno. F. Couts, from the Episcopal church; Mrs. Sam Stewart and Mrs. Judge Smith, from the Methodist church; Mrs. J. M. and Mrs. Col. Wm. F. Young, from the Cumberland Presbyterian church; Mrs. Merritt and Mrs. Wm. Ely, from the Baptist church; Mrs. Judge Scales and Mrs. Dr. Bailey, from the Christian church; Mrs. Byrne and Mrs. from the Catholic church; Mrs. Galbreath and Mrs. Elder, from the Presbyterian church.

University and City Park Association is the name by which the organization will be known—a name suggesting the work proposed to be done. All friends of the enterprise are earnestly solicited to become honorary members by the payment of one dollar. The alumni can greatly assist us by words fitly spoken, and by enrolling as honorary members. We appeal to them as sons of the South, in behalf of a cause we know to be dear to all their hearts.

The ladies propose to work in different ways and perambulate. At last gave the tramp's experience: "I worked hard and sometimes got paid for it, and then again I didn't, so I concluded to try a little begging, and I find that the folks stand that better than I did working."

A competent committee have been appointed on entertainments, and something tasteful and elegant was expected very soon, though notice of some of the members. Any gentleman desiring to become an honorary member can send his name with the money to any officer of the Association and it will be entered upon the books.

We most cordially commend this enterprise to the citizens of Clarksville and to the friends of the institution abroad.

THE Clarksville Reading Club will meet at the residence of Hon. Chas. G. Smith the first Tuesday night in July. Readers—Hon. Rufus Rhodes and Dr. D. F. Wright; Mrs. Sam. Stewart and Miss Hula Lovell. Papers—Mr. J. W. Tulploh, Mrs. C. Stacker and Mrs. Helen and Miss J. Mat. Recitations—Miss B. Garland and Mrs. S. Dorch. Author for discussion—Edmund Spenser. The members are urged to be punctual, that the work may not be hurried. It will save the officers time and labor, if all who play or sing will come prepared, and not wait for a formal solicitation. I am glad to announce that Mr. Byrne, of Monticello, Ala., will read for us again, and hope all the members of the Club will avail themselves of the privilege of hearing this distinguished elocutionist.

MR. SUE F. MOORE, Pres't  
MR. J. REDDIE, Sec'y

We notice in our exchanges a good deal of talk about a drill between the Chickasaw Guards and the Porter Rifles for the championship of the state, and take occasion to renew the suggestion made in our last week's issue: that the rival companies can find no better point for the contest than Clarksville. It is easy of access from both Memphis and Nashville, has a good drill ground, the Chickasaws and the Rifles both have friends here and, in fact, all our people would be glad to have them come, and would give them a hearty welcome. We hope their officers will give due consideration to the matter and we are satisfied that they can find no more suitable place.

THERE have been fine rains all over the country this week, and our farmers have had good seasons for setting out their tobacco, the standing wheat crop has been somewhat damaged, though not seriously, by the winds.

TWO rooms in Bank of Clarksville building for rent, on second floor in rear of bank office. Apply at bank.

IDAHO Springs will be opened about the first of July for the reception of visitors.

## Personals.

Mr. Hume Lusk, of Nashville, is visiting relatives in this county. G. E. Cooke is off on a visit to Virginia for a couple of weeks.

V. R. Harris, of Erin, paid us a flying visit this week.

W. W. Kirby of Nashville has been spending several days with his family in the city.

Squire J. S. Lee, the popular county clerk, of Houston was in the city this week.

John Rice and Charley Smith left for Louisville last Tuesday evening to attend the big drill.

Mrs. Eddie Ralls of Dover is visiting her sister Mrs. A. Acree of Madison street.

W. A. Forbes, formerly deputy Chancery clerk, left last Wednesday where he proposes going into business.

Rev. Jno. W. Hanner, D. D. has returned from a protracted visit to Nashville, Franklin and other places.

Mrs. W. H. Scott nee Mademoiselle Fauche of Sebree City, is the guest of Mrs. Bringham at the Franklin House.

Mrs. W. A. Benson, accompanied by her two daughters, Misses Emma May and Lillie, will leave, Thursday, for Clarksville, on a visit to relations. —*Nashville Banner*.

Mrs. Marietta Newell of Nashville, and Mrs. Charlotte Jones of Coahatta Parish, La., have been visiting their friends and relatives on the South side.

Miss Clara Wherry, an accomplished young lady, of Fatherland street, will leave to-morrow evening for Clarksville on a visit to relatives in that city. —*Nashville Banner*.

Messrs. T. M. Riley, H. C. Stacker and W. W. Barksdale, of the Tobacco Leaf, returned last Sunday from Chattanooga after a very pleasant time with the Tennessee Press Association.

Mr. Walter P. Woldridge, of Columbia, spent a few days in the city last week. Clarksville has peculiar attractions for Walter, and we are glad of it, hope he will conclude to come and stay here all the time.

Mr. Ed. C. Campbell, our editor, went on to New York from Chattanooga with the Press Association excursionists. We last heard from him at Lynchburg Va., but will probably get home this evening or to-morrow.

D. W. Moriwether, Ben Blackman, Jas. T. Kennedy, Jas. Woods, Elmer Green, Ed. Munford, Willie Young, John McMaster, Geo. Byers and Prof. Fusch, left for Louisville Wednesday evening to take in the big show.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Barksdale and Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Ingram left Thursday morning for Hurricane Springs and Mont Eagle, we wish them a pleasant trip and hope they may return in good health.

Heart & Voice, by Sherwin, Root & Murray, is the newest and best Sabathian song book. The words have real merit, and the music properly expresses their sentiment. Price 35c., or \$3.60 per doz. For sale by Owen & Moore.

On Saturday last week a freight train was wrecked at Bowling Green Ky., and the fireman, Ed Tucker was killed. The accident was caused by the switch which some fiend had mislaid, evidently for the purpose of wrecking the passenger train due about that time. It is to be hoped the sounders may be caught and summarily dealt with.

D. C. Towland, general superintendent of transportation for the Louisville & Nashville railway, has offered a reward of \$500 for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who misplaced the switch.

IT has been fashionable for a year or two to visit the Northern lakes or mountains. These resorts are very pleasant in hot weather, but they have serious drawbacks. First, it is very expensive getting there and back again. Then it is very dangerous. The traveler is exposed to the effects of the poison that he would have been had he remained South all summer. All these can be avoided and more than equal benefit secured by the expenditure of less than half the time, money and preparation necessary for a Northern trip. We have a small number of places, who claim to have been before the public fifty years and never been rivalled or disputed. In all that ministers to health, comfort and pleasure, and of any place in the United States, and its charges are very reasonable. Railroads give its visitors excursion rates. We trust to Bay Springs, Ala. Ellis & Co., proprietors. H.

DEED.

BOYLES—Near Cordandale, June 6th, tumors affection, Mrs. Emily Boyles, aged 50 years.

RAMEY—At his residence in Paducah, on June 18th, a violent attack on the kidneys, son of the late Absalom Ramey, aged 28 years.

It is with feelings of sadness that I make the above announcement. The requiem service will be held at the residence where he died on Sunday next, and throughout the entire choir will be in attendance. The funeral will be held at the residence of the deceased on Monday next, at 10 o'clock. The deceased was a good and noble man and the friends of the bereaved family are invited to attend the funeral. He had formed for himself a reputation of no ordinary nature.

He was confined to his bed only three weeks and in his sickness was attended by many kind friends, May God watch over his soul, and grant him a happy release, how much, especially the one left all alone. They can rest assured that they have the affectionate and tender sympathies of a host of friends who will sympathize with them in their sorrow, and treasure up the recollections of his many virtues.

Beyond this vale of tears there is a life above. Unnumbered years of life, and all that life is love. A FRIEND.

Masonic Tribute of Respect.

HALL OF WILLIAM LUGER, P. A. M., To the W. M., Wardens and Brethren of McCallio Lodge, No. 189:

We, your committee, appointed to draft the resolutions expressive of the feelings of the Lodge on the death of brother B. C. Powers, beg leave to submit the following:

Resolved, That we sympathize with the bereaved family in their sorrow, and that we extend to them our fraternal sympathy and aid.

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## JUDGE J. W. SCALES has recently made a handsome addition to his law library by purchasing the library of his former partner, the late Chancellor Charles Kortrecht, of Memphis, consisting of more than one thousand volumes. With this valuable acquisition, Judge Scales has now one of the most extensive and complete libraries in the state.

THERE will be a basket picnic and brandance at Hoffman's spring near Cordandale on Saturday July 24. The young folks of that neighborhood always get up a nice affair on such occasions and a gay time can be counted on by all who may attend.

Another Discovery.

By intelligence received from the Warner Observatory, Rochester, N. Y., it appears that still another comet has just been discovered by Dr. Gould, Director of the Cordova Observatory, Argentine Republic, South America.

This comet seems to be the great comet of 1877, and is located in the Constellation of the Dove, Right Ascension 6 hours and Declination South 30 degrees. It is not visible from this latitude and not known yet that it will be, although it is likely to be as the comet of 1877 was distinctly seen. No apprehension need be had over the unusual appearance of comets during the present year as they do not possess the power to work injury upon the earth or any other planet.

There's Music in the Waters.

Yes, music in the waters; music in the ocean; music in the solemn forest; music in the watching star; music in the cannon; music every where, but the sweetest and the most for the money, is found in the Southern Musical Journal. Just see the June number, the sweet song, "The Old Maid and Her Harp;" the grand chorus, "There's Music in the waters;" "Masque Polka," from the latest opera, and "Blossom Waltz," for the six year old music student. Over \$1.00 worth in this one number—\$12 worth yearly—and to cap all, \$1.00 worth of Premium Sheet Music presented to each subscriber. Twenty pages of musical reading matter, and eight pages of Music monthly; and all for only \$1.25 yearly. Send a 3 cent stamp for specimen copy of the *nearest, brightest and best Musical Magazine* in the land. Address Ludden & Bates' Southern Music House, Savannah, Ga.

Circumstantial evidence against Patrick Lyons, a railroad man of Iowa, pointing to him as the murderer of the Rev. Father Hayes and his brother, has accumulated to such an extent that he has been placed under arrest. The Hayes brothers having some \$6,000 in their possession made a trip into Lyons territory, and were found after their death no money could be found, but a large quantity of Hayes' wearing apparel was found in Lyons' trunk. The latter acknowledged that he took \$20 from Hayes' pockets, but no more. The belief is growing that Lyons is a desperate character, and capable of murder and robbery of the bodies.

Try the "Belle of Clarksville" cigar, at F. FIEDERLING'S.

For Rent.

Two rooms in Bank of Clarksville building, on same lot as bank, in man and bed. Apply to A. HOWELL, 2w, C. H. CASHIER.

Tobacco Leaf copy.

SMOKE the "Belle of Clarksville" cigar, at F. FIEDERLING'S.

New and fashionable Frames.

I have just received an elegant lot of latest styled picture frames for all kinds of pictures, and I can beat the Nation at low prices. Come up and see. Respectfully, June 15-21. McCORMAC.

Clarksville Tobacco Market.

OFFICE OF THE CHRONICLE, CLARKSVILLE, JUNE 24, 1881.

We have to report great activity in our tobacco market, there being a strong demand for all grades at favorable prices for sellers, and rejections are in consequence few in number. Warehousemen are meeting the demand freely, and selling close up on their stocks. The sales for the week were perhaps over 400 hogsheads. We have had some reports of a strike among our planters, friends have taken the mildest advantage of, and pitched the balance of good. We quote:

Good, 3 75 to 4 25  
Choice, 4 50 to 5 50  
Medium, 5 50 to 6 50  
Fine Leaf, 6 50 to 7 50  
Fine Leaf, 7 50 to 8 50  
Selection